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Too Hool for Shcool

Letters painted on the asphalt in front of a New York City high school read “SHCOOL X-NG,” to the embarrassment of all. A Department of Transportation spokesman says the error will be corrected, and blamed a utility provider that dug up the street, rather than the city. A New York Post story says the word has been misspelled for months. (AP)

CIVIC WORKS

City Responds by Adding Bike Lanes to Driveway

A Howell, Mich., woman says a sidewalk that was built in front of her home doesn’t lead anywhere and is causing problems. Tracey Shapter told the City Council on Monday that she got a warning from police for parking across the sidewalk, which was built during city street improvements. The sidewalk prevents her from using some previous driveway space. Shapter says she wants permission to park in her own driveway. (AP)

DEFENSE

‘Your Honor, They Were the Expensive Kind of Paper Clips’

A former dentist in New Bedford, Mass., has pleaded guilty to Medicaid fraud for using paper clips instead of stainless steel posts in root canals. Michael Clair is scheduled to be sentenced next week. He has also pleaded guilty to assault and battery, illegally prescribing prescription drugs and witness intimidation. (AP)

The Big Picture



**A MASTER AND HIS HUMAN:** Justin Bonderach carries his dog, Jack, in a sling after the pet refused to walk in the rain in Los Angeles on Monday. (AP)

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## In Brief

## LOS ANGELES

**Law Forcing Porn Actors to Wear Condoms Signed**

Actors in adult movies filmed in Los Angeles will be required to use condoms under an ordinance signed into law Monday by Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa, and porn industry leaders say the regulation could lead them to abandon the nation's porn capital. (AP)

## NEW YORK

**Apple Doubles iPhone Sales in First Quarter**

Apple Inc. on Tuesday said it sold 37 million iPhones in the quarter, double the figure of the previous quarter and more than twice as many as it sold in last year's holiday quarter. The result may make Apple the world's largest maker of smartphones. (AP)

## CAMP PENDLETON, CALIF.

**Marine to Serve No Time In Iraqi Killings Case**

Wuterich

A military judge has recommended no time in confinement for Staff Sgt. Frank Wuterich, the Marine sergeant who pleaded guilty to negligent dereliction of duty in assaults by his squad that killed 24 unarmed Iraqis. The killings came after a roadside bomb Haditha, Iraq in 2005. (AP)

# Obama Calls for a Fairer Deal

## President addresses income inequality in State of the Union

### Washington

Keeping the American dream alive has become "the defining issue of our time," President Obama says. He planned to use Tuesday night's State of the Union address to draw a stark election-year line with Republicans over how to keep the United States from eroding further into a nation of haves and have-nots.

In excerpts of his speech released in advance, Obama attacked income inequality and offered his own economic revival plan built upon boosting manufacturing, energy and education. He warned Republicans in Congress that he will fight them if they try to obstruct him or restore an economy gutted by "outsourcing, bad debt and phony financial profits."

Driving everything in the speech: jobs, including his own. Obama essentially made his case for re-election as he spelled out where he wants to take the country.

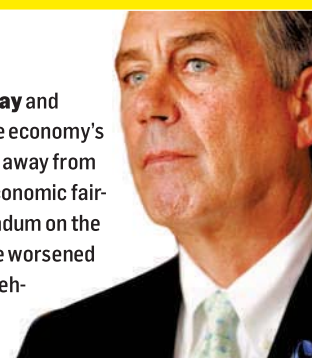


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In his State of the Union, President Obama was expected to warn Republicans in Congress that he would fight them if they obstruct his plans to fix the economy.

### Republican 'Prebuttal'

Republicans took the offensive Tuesday and cast President Obama as the culprit for the economy's persistent frailty, hoping to shift the focus away from his State of the Union address' theme of economic fairness. "This election is going to be a referendum on the president's economic policies," which have worsened the economy, said House Speaker John Boehner. "The politics of dividing our country is not what America is all about." (AP)



Obama was making his pitch to a bitterly divided Congress and to a country underwhelmed by his handling of the economy. Targeting anxiety about a slumping middle class, Obama was calling for the rich to pay more in taxes. Every proposal was to be underlined by the idea that hard work and responsibility still count.

**"Americans who work hard and play by the rules every day deserve a government and a financial system that does the same."**

— PRESIDENT OBAMA, IN HIS STATE OF THE UNION ADDRESS EXCERPTS RELEASED PRIOR TO HIS SPEECH.

"We can either settle for a country where a shrinking number of people do really well while a growing number barely get by. Or we can restore an economy where everyone gets a fair shot," Obama said.

BEN FELLER (AP)



**Make Mine a Trenta:** Bringing happy hour to Starbucks Corp. may be easier said than done. After experimenting with alcohol sales at six West Coast stores, the world's largest coffee-shop chain said Monday that it will sell beer and wine in as many as 25 locations by the end of the year. The strategy is part of a broader experiment to find ways to lure Starbucks customers and even non-coffee drinkers into stores during slow periods of the day. (BLOOMBERG)



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# Nation

## Big Privacy Changes for Google

### Washington

Google said Tuesday it will require users to allow the company to follow their activities across email, search, YouTube and other services, a radical shift in strategy that is expected to invite greater scrutiny of its privacy and competitive practices.

The information will enable Google to develop a fuller picture of how people use its growing empire of websites. Consumers will have no choice but to accept the changes.

The policy will take effect March 1 and will affect Android mobile phone users, who are required to log in to Google accounts when they activate their phones.

### The Seamless Future of Sharing

**After March 1, a Google user** who has recently watched YouTube videos of the Washington Wizards might suddenly see basketball ticket ads appear in his or her Gmail account. That person may also be reminded of a business trip to Washington on Google Calendar. Privacy and security advocates say Google's changes betray users who are not accustomed to having their information shared across different websites. A user of Gmail, for instance, may send messages about a private meeting with a colleague and may not want the location of that meeting to be thrown into Google's massive cauldron of data or used for Google's maps application. (AP)

The changes come as Google is facing stiff competition and recently disappointed investors for the first time in several quarters, failing last week to meet earnings expectations. Apple, perhaps its primary rival, is expected to announce strong earnings Tuesday.

"In short, we'll treat you as a single user across all our products, which will mean a simpler, more intuitive Google experience," Alma Whitten — Google's director of privacy, product and engineering — wrote in a blog post. CECILIA KANG (THE WASHINGTON POST)

### Activists Protest Proposed Keystone Oil Pipeline



**DRESSED AS REFEREES, PEOPLE PROTESTING AGAINST THE KEystone XL PIPELINE** throw red penalty flags during a rally Tuesday on Capitol Hill. The oil pipeline would run from western Canada to Texas' Gulf Coast. Supporters say it would create thousands of jobs. Critics say such claims are exaggerated and that it would cause pollution.

**104** **The age of the man who — when he died Monday in Wichita, Kan.** — was the nation's oldest sitting judge. U.S. District Judge Wesley Brown was appointed in 1962 by then-President John Kennedy. In 1979, Brown officially took senior status, a type of semi-retirement that allows federal judges to work with a full or reduced case level. But he continued to carry a full workload for decades. "You got to have a reason to live," he said. (AP)





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# Hints of Dissent Renew in Libya

Protests on the rise again as frustration with leaders grows

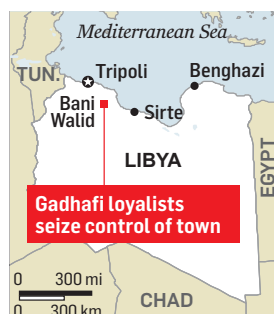
## Benghazi, Libya

As Libya's interim government struggles to bring security, stability and democracy to the country, a burgeoning protest movement is rocking the fragile nation, venting grudges and challenging the legitimacy of the ruling authorities.

The movement is at its strongest in the eastern city of Benghazi, the cradle of the uprising that began last February and later saw NATO-backed forces topple Moammar Gadhafi's 42-year rule.

Support for the National Transitional Council, which has shifted its operations to Tripoli, is rapidly evaporating. People complain of shaky security; delays in the reopening of schools and courts; flaws in the interim constitution and proposed electoral legislation; and the presence of Gadhafi-era officials on the council.

For more than a month, hun-



## Meanwhile ...

**Moammar Gadhafi loyalists** seized control of a Libyan mountain city in the most serious challenge to the government since the strongman's fall, underlining the increasing weakness of Libya's rulers as they try to unify the country. The taking of Bani Walid, one of the last Gadhafi strongholds captured by the new leadership late last year, was the first such operation organized by armed remnants of Gadhafi's regime. Forces battled for eight hours Monday, killing four revolutionary fighters and wounding 25 others, officials said. The fighting seemed to reflect a rejection of NTC control by a city that never deeply accepted its rule, highlighting the tensions still present between those who benefited under Gadhafi's regime and those now in power. (AP)

dreds of demonstrators have gathered nightly in the city center.

"What we are asking for is not privileges," said Saleh el-Haddar, a businessman at a recent protest. "We want the courts to work, we want the followers of Gadhafi to go ... and our main concern is transparency."

**"We are going through a political movement that can take the country to a bottomless pit."**

— **MUSTAFA ABDUL-JALIL**, HEAD OF LIBYA'S NATIONAL TRANSITIONAL COUNCIL, SPEAKING SATURDAY AFTER VIOLENT PROTESTS ROCKED BENGHAZI.

Discontent bubbled into violence Saturday, as protesters looted the NTC headquarters and threw bottles at NTC chief Mustafa Abdul-Jalil. The next day, Abdul-Jalil suspended the council's Benghazi representatives in an apparent attempt to appease protesters. The deputy chief of the NTC resigned



in protest over the move.

Benghazi's example has been followed with fewer participants and less violence in Tripoli and Misrata, where protesters call for the "correction of the revolution."

In Misrata, a few tents are pitched in an intersection known as Freedom Square.

Protests and sit-ins have called for elections for the local council, which was appointed by consensus in May. About 200 people participated in marches and camped out, with success: An electoral committee has now been set up, and a local poll is set to be held in a month.

(THE WASHINGTON POST/AP)

## In Brief



Oil recovery experts work near the stricken Costa Concordia on Tuesday.

## GIGLIO, ITALY

### Oil Removal Efforts Near For Sunken Cruise Ship

A barge hitched itself to the Costa Concordia on Tuesday, signaling the start of preliminary operations to remove a half-million gallons of fuel from the cruise ship that capsized Jan. 13. Meanwhile, divers retrieved another body, bringing the death toll to 16. (AP)

## LONDON

### Britain: Gulf Could See Military Presence Grow

Military power near the Strait of Hormuz could be bolstered by more U.K. forces, British Defense Secretary Philip Hammond said Tuesday, as Iran shrugged off Europe's oil embargo. (AP)

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# World

## Spate of Attacks in Iraq Kill 19

Insurgent violence intensifies in wake of U.S. withdrawal

### Baghdad

At least 19 people were killed in Iraq on Tuesday as insurgents targeted day laborers, government workers and an anti-terrorism police captain amid a continuing surge of violence, according to officials.

At least 80 people were injured, the officials said.

The attacks come amid a political crisis that has virtually paralyzed the government in the wake of the withdrawal of U.S. troops

### Meanwhile ...

**In the 30 days** after U.S. troops left Iraq on Dec. 18, at least 327 people were killed in bombings and assassinations, according to a security official. That appears to be a sharp increase over previous months. For the year ending Dec. 31, Iraqi officials recorded about 2,640 deaths, according to totals from the Interior and Health ministries, an average of about 220 killings a month. (TWP)

last month.

Analysts contend that insurgents are taking advantage of the chaos to try to exacerbate sectari-

an strife between Shiites and Sunnis. In recent weeks, the al-Qaeda-affiliated Islamic State of Iraq has claimed responsibility for at least 37 attacks, saying it was protesting the detention of Sunnis in Shiite-controlled jails. Many of Tuesday's bombings targeted Shiite neighborhoods.

At least 170 people have died in attacks since the beginning of the year, many of them Shiite pilgrims attending religious commemorations.

Still, there is little indication so far that the country is slipping back toward the widespread sectarian bloodshed of 2006 and 2007.

(THE WASHINGTON POST/AP)

## Egyptians Gather to Mark Uprising



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**ACTIVISTS RETURN TO TAHRIR SQUARE** in Cairo, the heart of Egypt's uprising last year, on Tuesday, a day before the first anniversary of the 18-day revolution that culminated in President Hosni Mubarak's ouster. Tens of thousands of Egyptians are expected to rally in the square on Wednesday.



**Controversy Live:** WikiLeaks founder Julian Assange says he's launching a career in television, hosting what he's billing as a talk show built around the theme of "the world tomorrow." WikiLeaks said in a statement late Monday that the show would begin airing in mid-March, though who will carry it is unclear. It's not even clear Assange will be free to host the show: He's fighting extradition to Sweden, where he's wanted on sex crime allegations. (AP)

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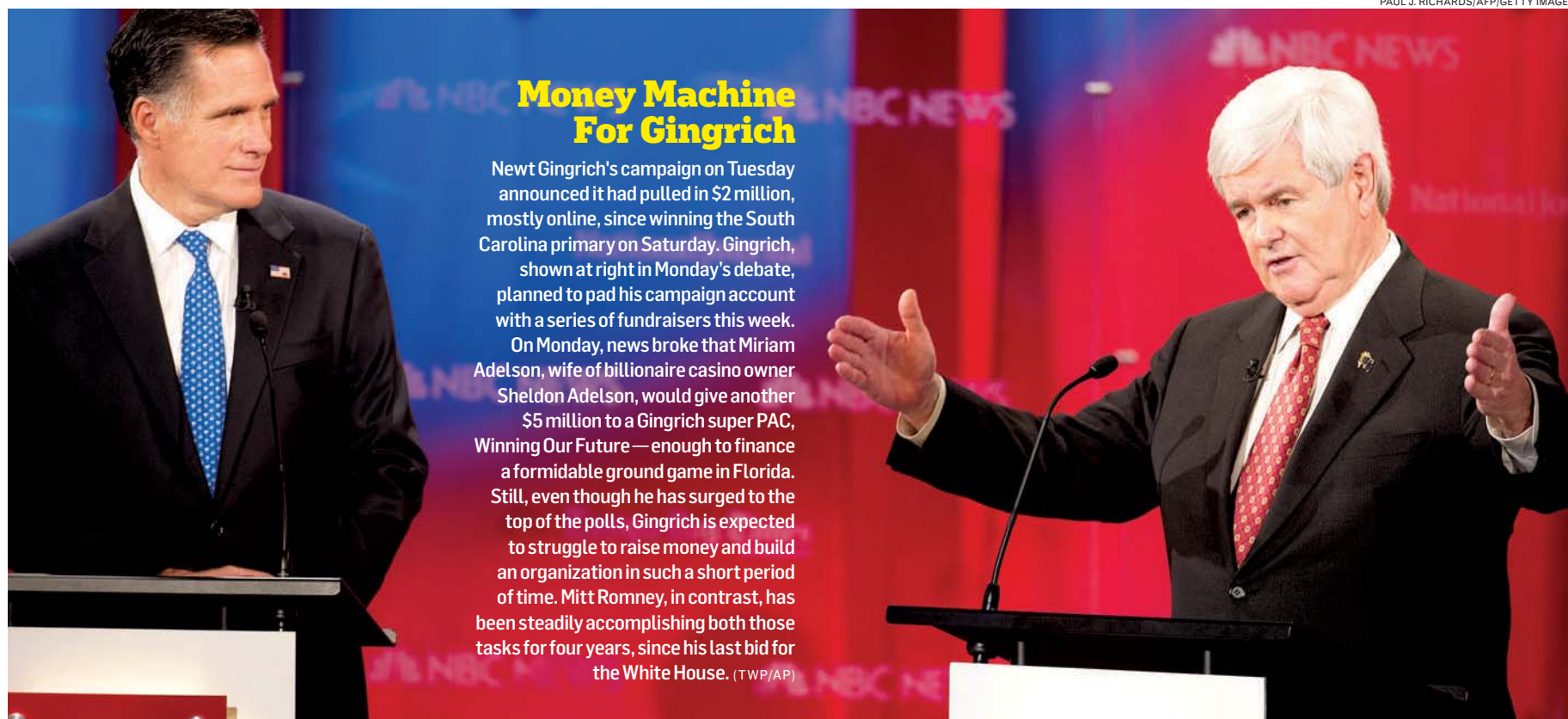


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# Campaign 2012

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## Money Machine For Gingrich

Newt Gingrich's campaign on Tuesday announced it had pulled in \$2 million, mostly online, since winning the South Carolina primary on Saturday. Gingrich, shown at right in Monday's debate, planned to pad his campaign account with a series of fundraisers this week. On Monday, news broke that Miriam Adelson, wife of billionaire casino owner Sheldon Adelson, would give another \$5 million to a Gingrich super PAC, Winning Our Future—enough to finance a formidable ground game in Florida. Still, even though he has surged to the top of the polls, Gingrich is expected to struggle to raise money and build an organization in such a short period of time. Mitt Romney, in contrast, has been steadily accomplishing both those tasks for four years, since his last bid for the White House. (TWP/AP)

# GOP's Cash Brawl

Romney's release of his tax records keeps the focus on candidates' wealth

Tampa, Fla.

Mitt Romney and Newt Gingrich's fight for Florida and the states beyond stayed at a high boil Tuesday as Romney released tax returns showing annual income topping \$20 million and Gingrich insisted his high-paid consulting work for a mortgage giant that contributed to the housing crisis didn't include lobbying.

After a night of mutual sniping in a debate, the two leading GOP hopefuls each tried to turn the arguments over business dealings to his own advantage. Romney's release of two years of tax documents, showing him at an elite level even among the nation's

## Romney's Taxing Revelations

Mitt Romney's tax returns represent an extraordinary accounting of the finances of one of the richest U.S. presidential candidates in generations, on Tuesday disclosing income of \$21.7 million in 2010 and \$20.9 million last year—virtually all profits, dividends or interest from investments.

richest 1 percent, kept the focus on the two men's money.

Romney's income put him in the top 0.006 percent of Americans, according to data from 2009, the most recent year available. His net worth has been estimated as high as \$250 million.

As the former Massachusetts governor relented to pressure and released more than 500 pages of tax documents, Gingrich kept up the heat, saying Romney was "outrageously dishonest" for accusing



Romney and his wife, Ann, made \$7 million in **charitable contributions** over the past two years, including at least \$4.1 million to the **Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints**.

him of influence peddling for government-backed mortgage giant Freddie Mac.

"I don't own any Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac stock. He does, so, presumably, he was getting richer," Gingrich told Fox News on Tuesday.

The specter of Gingrich and Romney feuding over money matters pleased Rick Santorum, who lags in polls for Florida but hopes to benefit from the dustup. He told MSNBC: "The other two candidates

## 15.4%

The Romneys sent less to Washington over that period, paying an estimated \$6.2 million in federal income taxes. For 2011, Romney estimates he will pay about \$3.2 million, for an **effective tax rate** of 15.4 percent—in line with his earlier estimates, but sharply lower than rates paid by President Obama and Newt Gingrich.

## Under Fire?

The political discussion over releasing Romney's tax information highlighted an argument that Democrats are starting to use against him—that he is out of touch with normal Americans. It remains unclear how the details of Romney's fortune will play among American workers, who on average earn less in a lifetime than Romney paid in taxes in 2010 alone. Meanwhile, the typical taxpayer pays a similar share of his income to Uncle Sam as he does, roughly 15 percent. (TWP/AP)

have some severe flaws."

After Gingrich's victory in South Carolina, Romney can ill afford to lose Florida's Jan. 31 primary. Striking out in two directions, Romney planned to offer advance criticism of President Obama's Tuesday night State of the Union address, then focus on Florida's housing woes in an event sure to again highlight Gingrich's \$25,000 monthly retainer from Freddie Mac.

Gingrich called Romney's charges ironic, given that it emerged after Monday's debate that Romney invested in Freddie Mac and its sister entity, Fannie Mae.

Gingrich, a candidate once left for dead, stood before thousands in Sarasota brimming with confidence about his chances of winning the GOP nod. He barely mentioned Romney in two events, though he railed hard at Obama.

Gingrich said Obama should stop blaming his Republican predecessor for the country's economic woes. "This is the fourth year of his presidency. He needs to get over it," Gingrich said. "A friend of mine says, 'He has shifted from Yes We Can to Why We Couldn't.'"

STEVE PEOPLES (AP)



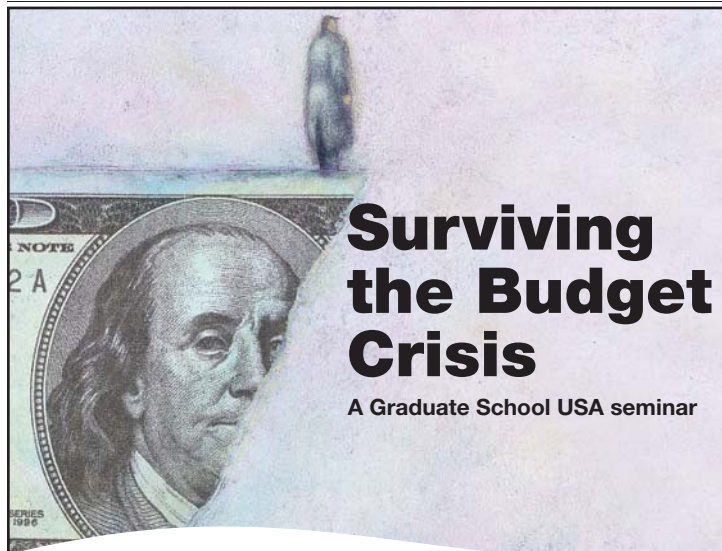
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# 8-Month Wait at Dupont

South entrance to be closed starting Feb. 1 for escalator project

## Washington

Tired of seeing the escalators at the south entrance of Metro's Dupont Circle station broken and standing still?

Relief could be coming — albeit in eight months or so.

Starting Feb. 1, the south entrance will close so heavy equipment can be brought in as crews start tearing out the three escalators to install new ones. Metro is contracting the work to Switzerland-based Schindler Group as part of a contract worth about \$12 million.

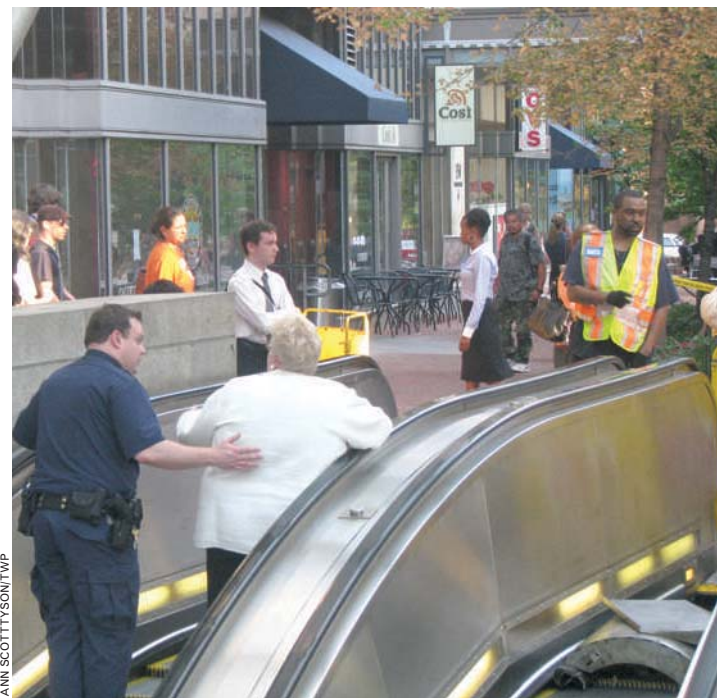
Metro has not closed an entrance of a station for that long for escalator replacement work in recent memory, according to Metro officials. The south escalators at Dupont Circle are among the least reliable of Metro's 588 escalators, officials have said.

Crews at Dupont Circle will work days, nights and weekends to try to do the work at the 19th Street NW entrance as fast as possible, said Dan Stessel, Metro's chief spokesman.

In September, officials had warned the job could take a year, but Stessel said they will work with Schindler to speed up the project.

"We are going to get it done as quickly and safely as we can," he said.

Installing escalators at the Dupont stop is difficult because the station is so deep underground. According to Metro, the escalators rise 85 feet and have 291 steps.



ANN SCOTT/SONITWP

The south entrance to the Dupont Circle Metro station will be closed starting Feb. 1.

## Aging System

Seventy-five percent of Metro's escalators are more than 25 years old. Four manufacturers that made parts for them are out of business, and the escalators haven't been properly maintained over the years, according to Metro officials. (TWP)

The Dupont entrance was originally built for two escalators, not three, leaving little room to work. Another problem is that the manufacturer that made the Dupont south escalator has gone out of that business, making it hard to find replacement parts, officials have said.

Metro said it will station personnel at Dupont's north entrance on Q Street NW to help manage crowds and direct the 50,000 rid-

ers who go through the station on a weekday. Escalator mechanics will be on hand so they can respond quickly to any escalator problems at the north entrance.

A spiral staircase has been installed in the ventilation shaft area near the south side of the Dupont station for use in an emergency.

Stessel said there will be one escalator at the south entrance that can be used as a staircase, but only in an emergency.

In July 2010, multiple escalator failures at the station caused chaos, and safety and health concerns as thousands of commuters made the long trek to the surface.

Metro officials are encouraging riders to use the escalators at the north entrance of Dupont Circle or to get off at Farragut North.

DANA HEDGPETH (THE WASHINGTON POST)



**False Alarm:** Metro's "See Something, Say Something" campaign might be working. A rider reported seeing a suspicious package Monday at Metro Center on the tracks on the Glenmont-bound side. Metro Transit Police's bomb squad was called in, but it turns out the package was simply a trash bag. Metro said trains were held for "less than five minutes," until the power for the third rail could be brought down and police could get the bag off the tracks. (TWP)



## In Brief



Oscar Ramiro-Ortega Hernandez is accused of shooting at the White House.

## WASHINGTON

## Man Pleads Not Guilty In White House Shooting

A man charged with trying to assassinate President Obama has pleaded not guilty. Oscar Ramiro-Ortega Hernandez made a brief appearance with his public defender Tuesday in U.S. District Court in Washington. He was indicted last week. Ortega is accused of firing shots at the White House on the night of Nov. 11. Obama and his wife, Michelle, were not home at the time. (AP)

## LAUREL, MD.

## Pr. George's Police Probe Possible Murder-Suicide

Prince George's County police say a 21-year-old man and a 19-year-old woman were found dead in a murder-suicide in Laurel, Md., Sunday. Authorities identified the man as Adam Owsley II and the woman as Aeris Beard, both of Laurel. Police say their bodies were found in an apartment in the 14100 block of Bramble Court, where Owsley lived, about 7 p.m. Sunday. (AP)

## RICHMOND, VA.

## Bill to End HPV Vaccine Mandate Passes Panel

A bill that would end a state mandate for girls to receive vaccinations against a virus that can lead to cervical cancer sailed through a Republican-dominated House committee on a largely partisan vote. Kathy Byron criticized the current law under which parents or guardians opt girls out of receiving the vaccine. She said it should be up to parents and doctors to decide whether girls get the vaccine against the sexually transmitted human papillomavirus before they reach sixth grade. (AP)

## Final Warning for D.C. Occupiers

## McPherson Square campers to go soon, NPS tells House panel

## Washington

The director of the National Park Service said Tuesday that U.S. Park Police will "very soon" begin enforcing a no-camping law at McPherson Square but that the Occupy D.C. movement has a prevailing First Amendment right to continue its vigil there.

"We are about to enforce the camping regulations, but we are not evicting the occupiers under any circumstances, unless there is an emergency," National Park Service Director Jonathan B. Jarvis said Tuesday at a subcommittee hearing of the House Oversight and Government Reform Committee, which oversees the District.

During a series of sometimes



Occupiers have been camping in McPherson Square without a permit since Oct. 1.

sharp exchanges, committee members quizzed Jarvis about the Park Service's handling of the situation at McPherson Square, where protesters in solidarity with the Occupy Wall Street movement have been camping without a permit

since Oct. 1.

The protesters have come under fire in recent days for health and safety concerns after the District's health director said the rat population was "exploding" in the area and an infant was found aban-

doned in a tent.

Republicans on the subcommittee often seemed exasperated as they pressed the Park Service for its legal reasoning allowing the protesters to stay in violation of its own no-camping regulations. The Park Service has said decades of case law supports protesters' right to operate a 24-hour vigil on parkland; Republicans cited a Supreme Court opinion that says protesters can stay — but not sleep — in public parks.

Rep. Trey Gowdy, R-S.C., the subcommittee's chairman, said the Park Service has created a precedent for others to freely camp on federal land despite rules prohibiting it.

"I find it curious tourists can't pitch a tent in McPherson Square for fun, but if they're pitching a camp in protest of fun, then the National Park Service would welcome them," Gowdy said.

(THE WASHINGTON POST)

## Montgomery OKs Buses for I-270

## Rockville

The Montgomery County Council has changed its mind on what kind of transit line to build in the rapidly growing and heavily congested Interstate 270 corridor, voting Tuesday to recommend a busway over the light rail system it endorsed in 2009.

The unanimous recommendation now goes to Maryland Gov. Martin O'Malley, a Democrat, as he considers which mode and route to submit in a highly competitive bid for federal construction money.

# \$491M

The estimated cost to build a rapid bus system along Interstate 270. A light rail system is projected to cost \$772 million, officials said.

A 15-mile Corridor Cities Transitway (CCT) would connect the Shady Grove station at the end of Metro's Red Line in Rockville with the Clarksburg area, via Gaithersburg and Germantown. The county has targeted much of its future development for the area, and Montgomery officials say it is key to

economic and job growth, particularly the county's ability to continue attracting life science companies. Much of the approved development for the area can't go forward without a transitway to prevent further traffic congestion.

Affordability and timing seemed to be the biggest considerations for council members. Several cited a recent state study that found a busway, called Bus Rapid Transit (BRT), would provide significantly higher economic benefits than light rail because its lower cost would make it affordable a decade earlier. (THE WASHINGTON POST)



## RATINGS

## How Rude

Washington, D.C., is the third-rudest city in the nation, according to a recent piece by Travel + Leisure. Washington is many things. "Laid back" is not one of them. And at least D.C.'s wonky aggressiveness takes a back seat to mouthier locales such as New York City and Miami, respectively. According to the magazine, Nashville, Tenn., is the nicest city.

(THE WASHINGTON POST)

## The Lotteries

## Tuesday, Jan. 24

## Maryland

Mid-day Pick 3 ..... 0-5-3  
Evening Pick 3 (Mon.) ..... 3-8-9  
Mid-day Pick 4 ..... 8-5-9-2  
Evening Pick 4 (Mon.) ..... 1-3-5-6  
Match 5 (Mon.) ..... 19-20-23-30-38 (32)

## District

Mid-day Lucky Numbers ..... 1-3-5  
Evening Lucky Numbers (Mon.) ..... 1-1-2  
Mid-day DC 4 ..... 9-0-9-4  
Evening DC 4 (Mon.) ..... 0-6-3-7  
Mid-day D.C. Five ..... 5-5-2-4-8  
Evening D.C. Five (Mon.) ..... 9-1-7-2-9

## Virginia

Mid-day Pick 3 ..... 4-9-7  
Evening Pick 3 (Mon.) ..... 3-4-1  
Mid-day Pick 4 ..... 6-9-6-7  
Evening Pick 4 (Mon.) ..... 9-1-3-0  
Mid-day Cash 5 (Tues.) ..... 2-4-9-15-25  
Evening Cash 5 (Mon.) ..... 4-9-11-19-20

All winning numbers are official only when validated at a claims location. Drawings that occur after Express' deadline will be published two days later.



## Sports

## Swengali

Saunders Lucky  
His Time Was Up

**Flip Saunders hit the lottery** on Tuesday.

And he didn't even need to steal bags full of coins from Metro to do it!

A day after the Wizards' embarrassing loss — even by their standards — to the Philadelphia 76ers, the 2-15 team put its coach out of his misery.

Saunders will now be paid the rest of his four-year, \$18 million contract not to coach the worst team in the NBA anymore.

As a bonus, he won't have to deal with the knucklehead trio of Andray Blatche, JaVale McGee and Nick Young ever again.

**Ironically, the Wizards' job could become very attractive to coaches after this season.**

Saunders is a professional and will surely land another job. Secretly — or so not secretly — he must be thrilled to be done with this chapter of his career.

When he arrived, the Wizards were on the fringe of being a competent team. Then the Gilbert Arenas gun incident sent the franchise back to where it is used to being: the cellar.

While Caron Butler, Brendan Haywood and DeShawn Stevenson were busy helping the Mavericks win the NBA title last season, Saunders was coaching John Wall and 11 players no other team wants.

Ironically, the Wizards' job could become very attractive to coaches after this season. That is, if Washington wins the NBA's draft lottery and can pick a big man to complement Wall.

Until then, Saunders should count himself a lucky man.



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# Flipped Off

Saunders is fired by the 2-15 Wizards, who name Wittman interim coach

## The Wizards

Flip Saunders was fired Tuesday as coach of the NBA-worst Wizards and replaced by assistant Randy Wittman, who has the job for the rest of the season.

The Wizards fell to 2-15 this season, including 0-7 on the road, with a 20-point loss to the Philadelphia 76ers on Monday. Washington's next game is at home Wednesday against the Charlotte Bobcats.

"We felt the team had become unresponsive, and we will look to Randy to provide a different voice and a change in philosophy moving forward," Wizards president Ernie Grunfeld said in a statement.

Saunders was in his third season with the Wizards, going 51-130. When he was hired, the roster featured All-Stars Gilbert Arenas, Antawn Jamison and Caron Butler, but the franchise is now rebuilding around point guard John Wall, the No. 1 overall pick in the 2010 draft.

But there is not a lot of help for Wall, and the Wizards have been prone to inconsistent play, often failing to even be competitive this season. On Monday, they walked down the court for offensive possessions, never hustled after loose balls and couldn't convert the easiest of buckets, missing eight of nine shots in the paint in the first quarter.

## The Wittman File

Randy Wittman becomes the 23rd coach in franchise history and the fourth coach to lead the Wizards since the start of the 2008-09 season. Eddie Jordan was fired after a 1-10 start. Ed Tapscott wasn't brought back after finishing 18-53. This is Wittman's third job as an NBA head coach, after going 100-207 — a .326 winning percentage — with Minnesota and the Cleveland Cavaliers.

(THE WASHINGTON POST/AP)

"It's disappointing never being able to finish the job," Saunders told The Washington Post in an exclusive interview Tuesday.

Back in December, before the lockout-shortened season began, Saunders said he could envision how the young Wizards could improve on their 23-59 record from 2010-11. But Washington got off to a franchise-worst 0-8 start — half of the losses were by at least 18 points — before beating the Toronto Raptors.

"I thought we showed some progress, not in the win and loss column, but some of our young players, and ... in this business, improvement comes in small and very painful increments," Saunders told The Post. HOWARD FENDRICH (AP)



## 'Survival Mode'

Flip Saunders took over what he thought would be a veteran-laden team on the cusp of playoff contention in 2009. But his tenure took an unexpected turn when Gilbert Arenas, left, and Javaris Crittenton brought guns to the locker room, and got suspended. "We went from a job with a totally different challenge to all of a sudden survival mode," Saunders said Tuesday. (TWP)





# Turgeon Gets First Crack at Duke

Ex-coach Williams to be honored before the Terps' big game

## Terps Men's Hoops

This is why Mark Turgeon came here. He won't say it, not in so many words, but when was the last time Texas A&M played a rivalry game so charged that everyday fandom ballooned into something a lot like lunacy? Certainly not on the basketball court.



On the night that Mark Turgeon, above, coaches against Duke as Maryland's coach, former Terps leader Gary Williams, below, will have the court named after him.

gram has accomplished over the years," Turgeon said shortly after he was hired. "I've turned down a lot of jobs over the last four years, and it was going to take a special one for me to move my family, and Maryland is a special place."

Turgeon's predecessor, Gary Williams, in his more than two decades as coach at his alma mater, came to know that no matter how disappointing the season, all was not lost if Maryland beat Duke.

The stage set for Wednesday's game is not unlike so many before it. The Blue Devils come to town with swagger born not just of their Top 10 ranking this season but also by decades of blue-blooded pedigree. And the Terrapins are the underdog, with fans losing their minds at the prospect of knocking Duke off its perch.

This is why Turgeon left a team that he'd just taken to four-straight NCAA tournaments and signed on with a squad that didn't even get an NIT invite last year, a team that had just seen its best player, Jordan Williams, skip out two years early to be drafted by the New Jersey Nets. This is why. **DEREK TURNER**



Alex Ovechkin will sit out of the NHL's All-Star game due to a suspension.

## Suspended Ovi to Skip All-Star Festivities

### The Capitals

Alex Ovechkin is skipping the NHL All-Star game, a decision he announced a day after getting a three-game suspension from the league for a hit on an opponent.

"My heart is not there. I got suspended, so why [do] I have to go there?" the Capitals' captain and a two-time league MVP said Tuesday. "I love the [All-Star] game. It's a great event. I love to be there."

## In Brief

### COLLEGE FOOTBALL

#### Paterno Tickets Go Fast

More than 10,000 free tickets made available to the public for Thursday's memorial service for ex-Penn State football coach Joe Paterno were snapped up in seven minutes Tuesday, with some offered for sale on eBay before the ads were pulled. (AP)

### PRO BASEBALL

#### Yankees' Posada Retires

Flanked by his wife and children, with five World Series trophies sitting on a table to his right, Jorge Posada announced his retirement Tuesday. The five-time All-Star catcher ends his major league career after 17 seasons, all with the New York Yankees. (AP)

## Reports: Fielder Lands in Detroit

### Pro Baseball

After the Nationals engaged in negotiations with Prince Fielder and the baseball world deemed them the favorite to sign him, Fielder agreed Tuesday on a nine-year contract worth \$214 million with the Detroit Tigers, pending a physical, according to reports by Yahoo! and CBSSports.com.

The Nationals had no plans from the beginning of their dis-

cussions with Fielder, 27, to offer him a deal beyond six or seven years.

The Nationals entered discussions with Fielder content with their situation at first base. They have Adam LaRoche, who will make \$8 million this season in the final year of his deal.

They also have Michael Morse, who just signed a two-year extension worth \$10.5 million.

(THE WASHINGTON POST)



**All Aboard:** Navy is headed to the Big East, giving up more than 130 years of football independence to join a conference in the middle of a massive overhaul. The Mids played in eight-straight bowl games before slipping to 5-7 this season and have won 10-straight games against rival Army. In December, the Big East added Boise State and San Diego State as football-only members, and SMU, Houston and Central Florida in all sports. (AP)

## TV Lineup

**WIZARDS (7 P.M., CSN)** The Wizards play the Charlotte Bobcats.

**TERPS HOOPS (9 P.M., ESPN)**

The Terps face archrival Duke.

**TENNIS (9:30 P.M., 3:30 A.M. (THU.), ESPN2)** Early risers can catch Roger Federer and Rafael Nadal playing in the semifinals of the Australian Open.

**MEN'S COLLEGE HOOPS (7 P.M., ESPN; 7:30 P.M., ESPN2)**

Louisville hosts Villanova, and Missouri takes on Oklahoma State in the Big 12.

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The Caps-Bruins game ended after deadline Wednesday. For results | [washingtonpost.com/sports](http://washingtonpost.com/sports)

But Ovechkin added: "I feel I'm not deserving to be there right now. If I'm suspended, I have to be suspended."

Capitals general manager George McPhee said he supported Ovechkin's decision.

Ovechkin was punished by the NHL on Monday for launching himself to hit Pittsburgh defenseman Zbynek Michalek during Washington's 4-3 overtime loss to the Penguins on Sunday. Ovechkin pointed out that no penalty was assessed on the play, and said: "I don't believe I deserve to get a three-game suspension for the hit that I did." (AP)



# lookout



**A Sad, Sad Song**  
On 'Ellen,' Seal says he's 'shocked' by split from Heidi Klum **27**

## Inside Jokes



BRAD BARKET FOR COMEDY CENTRAL

## Boyish Charm

**John Mulaney** could be the next breakout star of "Saturday Night Live." The only problem: Most people who watch "SNL" don't know who John Mulaney is.

A writer for the sketch show since 2008, Mulaney has appeared on-screen only a handful of times. His



By Rudi Greenberg

greatest contribution to the series is Stefon, Bill Hader's uber-hip night-life correspondent, who Mulaney helped create.

Outside of 30 Rock, Mulaney tours often doing stand-up. "New in Town," the 29-year-old's first hour-long Comedy Central special, debuts Saturday at 10 p.m. (and on DVD and CD Jan. 31).

In the special, which will be familiar to those who saw the Georgetown alum at the DC Improv last summer, Mulaney riffs on his awkward adolescence, "Law and Order: SVU" and why he gave up drinking at 23.

Mulaney's jokes are witty but deceptively simple. Example: "I was once on the telephone with Blockbuster Video, which is a very old-fashioned sentence," Mulaney remarks, setting up another bit.

With his boyish looks and agreeable persona, it won't be long before Mulaney is on TV regularly. The only question is: Will it be on "SNL" or somewhere else?

## THE SNUBS



### Actors

► No **Albert Brooks**, above left, for "Drive." The man campaigned steadfastly, even on Twitter, to no avail. Fortunately, Brooks has a sense of humor about his snub, tweeting to the Academy: "You don't like me. You really don't like me."

► No **Leonardo DiCaprio**, above center, for best actor. "J. Edgar" — which looked like guaranteed Oscar bait a few months ago — came up with a big, fat goose egg.

► No **Michael Fassbender**, above right, for best actor. Was it the nudity in "Shame" that bothered the Academy? Or the fact that Fassbender's character was not exactly likable?

► No **Andy Serkis** as best supporting actor. Most people figured a nomination for his motion-capture performance in "The Adventures of Tintin" was a long shot. But it's still a shame. Although maybe this will give him more leverage for a nomination as Gollum in "The Hobbit."



### Films

► No **"50/50,"** Will Reiser's cancer comedy about his own diagnosis, for best original screenplay.

► No nominations for Lars von Trier's **"Melancholia."** Which is sadder than the movie itself.

► No **David Fincher** for best director. "The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo" helmer won't repeat, after he won for "The Social Network" last year.

## THE SURPRISES



### Actors

► **Melissa McCarthy**, above left, for "Bridesmaids," a rare comic turn in the best supporting actress race.

► **Jonah Hill**, above center, for best supporting actor in "Moneyball." This means he will now forever be known as: "Academy Award nominee Jonah Hill."

► **Demian Bichir's**, nomination for the immigration drama "A Better Life" was a shocker. More surprising was that **Gary Oldman** got his first nomination ever for "Tinker, Tailor, Soldier, Spy." ► **Rooney Mara**, above right, earned her first best actress bid, for "The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo."



### Films

► The final spot in the best picture race went to **"Extremely Loud and Incredibly Close,"** the 9/11-themed drama that most critics lambasted for being over-the-top, sentimental kitsch.

► **"Cars 2"** was left off the best animated feature list — the first time Pixar has not been nominated in the category. Granted, it didn't deserve to be there anyway.

(THE WASHINGTON POST/AP)

## BY THE NUMBERS

# 11

Number of nominations "Hugo" received, the most of any Oscar-nominated film this year. "The Artist" followed with 10.



# 3

The number of times Meryl

Streep (above, nominated a record 17 times) and Glenn Close (6 times) have gone head-to-head for best actress, as they will this year.



# 9

Number of first-time nominees

in the acting categories. The newbies are Rooney Mara; Demian Bichir; Jean Dujardin, above left; Gary Oldman; Berenice Bejo above right; Jessica Chastain; Melissa McCarthy; Octavia Spencer; and Jonah Hill.

# OSCAR SURPRISES & SNUBS

The 84th annual Academy Awards air Feb. 26. Here's who won't be there and who unexpectedly will.



**Best Picture Nominees**

**Hugo**  
11 Nominations

**The Artist**  
10 Nominations

**Moneyball**  
6 Nominations

**War Horse**  
6 Nominations

**The Descendants**  
5 Nominations

**Midnight In Paris**  
4 Nominations

**The Help**  
4 Nominations

**The Tree of Life**  
3 Nominations

**Extremely Loud & Incredibly Close**  
2 Nominations



For more of Rudi's thoughts, follow him on Twitter: @rudi\_greenberg.



# A Final 'Investigation'

Marg Helgenberger looks forward to life without 'CSI' and Catherine Willows

## Television

It's not easy to walk away from a secure gig in Hollywood, especially one that's popular, but Marg Helgenberger is doing just that.

After 12 seasons, the actress will leave CBS' "CSI" in the conclusion of a two-part episode airing Wednesday at 10 p.m.

Helgenberger says she's looking forward to time off, hiking with her dog and even looking for work. She'd also love to do Broadway.

Despite her departure, the 53-year-old Helgenberger says she would be willing to return for a special episode or two in the future.

"Oh, absolutely. In fact, that was one of the reasons why it was a little easier for me to leave the show because the producers said to me practically every day the door is wide open," she says. "If I'm available and I'm up for it, you betcha." She's proud the show has inspired some people to become criminalists and says to fans: "You haven't seen the last of me."

Helgenberger called the role of



After 12 years on "CSI," Marg Helgenberger is ending her run as Catherine Willows.

Catherine Willows "one of the best roles" she's ever had and "quite a journey." Looking back at older episodes, she likes to remember the crime that was solved, see who the guest stars were and marvel

at some of her clothes and hairstyles. "Sometimes I go, 'What was I thinking?'" she laughed.

She's received both Emmy and Golden Globe award nominations for her work on "CSI" and, earlier

**"The producers said to me practically every day the door is wide open. If I'm available and I'm up for it, you betcha."**

— MARG HELGENBERGER, ON WHETHER SHE'S OPEN TO RETURNING AS A GUEST STAR ON "CSI" SOMETIME.

this week, she even earned a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame.

Helgenberger says she'll also remain in the loop with what's happening behind the scenes because her son Hugh is now a production assistant on the show.

"CSI" is known as the most-watched show in the world and has received the International Television Audience Award at the Monte Carlo TV Festival. Helgenberger began to understand this firsthand when traveling abroad.

"In the Musee d'Orsay (in Paris) ... I got kind of swarmed by people, which was so strange to me because just in these galleries housed Van Goghs and Monets and Manets and Toulouse-Lautrec and I just thought, 'Wait a second; this is so strange!' But anyway, nonetheless, it was flattering, and I was just kind of taken aback by it." ALICIA RANCILIO (AP)

# Ringo Looks to The Past

## Album Review

Back in 1973, beloved ex-Beatles drummer Ringo Starr released "Ringo," which featured appearances from all of his former bandmates and several members of his eventual All-Starr band, and which



remains the signal work of his solo career.

From its title down, "Ringo 2012" is meant

to induce nostalgia for "Ringo" and for Ringo, a musician of limited range and endless charm who doesn't have to do much except show up, pound the skins a little and wink knowingly at his audience, which is pretty much what happens.

"In Liverpool" charts Starr's English childhood, which can be summed up as: It rained a lot, and then he met the Beatles ("Me and the band/Living our fantasies/Breaking the rules, acting like fools/That's how it was for me." Pause. Wink. "How was it for you?"). "In Liverpool" may be goofy and overly self-referential, but "2012" could use more moments like it. ALLISON STEWART

(THE WASHINGTON POST)

## Today's Top Stops

COMPILED BY FIONA ZUBLIN



## 1 Bring in the Noise, Again

"Fela!" the musical biography of Afrobeat legend Fela Kuti, is back. If you missed its run at the Shakespeare Theatre last year, you can see it this weekend at the Warner. It's a new theater, but the infectious, percussive music is the same, and Sahr Ngaujah will reprise the title role. **Warner Theatre, 513 13th St. NW; Thu.-Sun., \$47-\$127; 202-783-4000, Warnertheatre.com. (Metro Center)**

## 2 'No, I Don't Watch The Puppy Bowl'

If you're worried about the stigma of being a female football fan in this day and age, you probably need to find new friends. But community is always welcome, and Melissa Jacobs, editor of Thefootballgirl.com, is hosting a talk about the difficulties and prejudices women sports lovers face when they come clean about their obsessions. **Sixth and I Historic Synagogue, 600 I St. NW; 7 p.m., \$8-\$10; 202-408-3100, Sixthandi.org. (Gallery Place)**

## 3 Back to Basics

Folky songwriter Aimee Mann has been fleshing out her indie goddess credentials (she's WAY less annoying than Zoëy Deschanel) with acting gigs (such as a guest spot on "Portlandia") and a now-abandoned musical called "The Forgotten Arm." Tonight's concert, however, will be all Mann and her guitar. **Birchmere, 3701 Mt. Vernon Ave., Alexandria; 7:30 p.m., sold out; 703-549-7500, Birchmere.com.**



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## lookout TV tonight

# A 'Touch' Contrived

Kiefer Sutherland's new drama relies too much on coincidence

### Premieres

**FOX  
9:00**

Kiefer Sutherland returns to the Fox lineup in "Touch." He's not Jack Bauer, but Martin Bohm, a sorely overextended single dad whose wife died on Sept. 11. His 11-year-old son, Jake (David Mazouz), has never uttered a word. He refuses to be hugged or even touched. Experts say he's autistic, but Martin believes that Jake's fascination with numbers may be more than a retreat to an inner world. It could be his way of communicating.

Over the course of the pilot, we discover that Jake can see interconnectivity in numbers that gives him insights beyond the comprehension of most mortals. These numbers provide codes and clues that Martin tries desperately to decipher, even as social workers attempt to



"Touch" — starring David Mazouz, left, and Kiefer Sutherland, right — premieres tonight at 9 on Fox, but the show won't return for a second episode until March 19.

take Jake away from him.

Danny Glover appears as a mystic and professor who declares that Jake and other children like him are part of some new wrinkle in evolution, a hint of humans to come; they can see the wondrous connections in all of existence.

Words like "interconnectivity" and "synchronicity" offer a nice spin on an old term: "coincidence." But any drama filled with too many coin-

cidences can seem contrived.

For all of its excesses, "Touch" might be easier to take if it didn't hobble so awkwardly on the crutches of such heavily loaded subjects.

Perhaps the greatest mystery surrounding "Touch" is Fox's decision to air the pilot tonight and then ask viewers to wait until March 19 for the series to resume. Most viewers won't make the connection.

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### Best Bets

**CW  
8:00**

**One Tree Hill** Struggling at Karen's Cafe, Haley gets a helping hand from Dan. Quinn learns that Clay is keeping a secret from her. Chase tries to mend a broken heart. Brooke's dad lets her down. Julian makes a mistake that could change his life.

**NBC  
8:30**

**Are You There, Chelsea?** Chelsea is attracted to the singer of the band that Sloane brings to the bar as part of an outing for her church group. Rick's ex, Nikki (Natasha Leggero, right), rubs people the wrong way when she goes to work at the bar.



**CBS  
9:00**



### Criminal Minds

Billy Joel should sue this guy. In the series' 150th episode, the team is in Houston, where a serial rapist called the Piano Man has resurfaced and is targeting his past victims. Prentiss (Paget Brewster, left) struggles to get over her trauma from last year and readjust to work.

**BRAVO  
10:00**

**Top Chef: Texas** In the elimination challenge, held at a food drive and block party, each chef chooses an opponent for a one-on-one competition to make the same dish. (TRIBUNE MEDIA)

### Documentary



### A Barren Future

"Nature" (8p.m., PBS) examines Admiralty Island in southeast Alaska, which supports the largest concentration of bears anywhere in the world. Sustained by a wealth of salmon streams, isolated and protected by their environment, about 1,700 Alaskan brown bears have lived here for centuries. But this year, the salmon fail to arrive for the first time, and the bears get a bitter taste of what the future may hold. (TM)



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“‘Man or Muppet’ is going to win, and that’s deserved indeed. Now the only question is whether Walter the Muppet will come up onstage.”

— Gael Fashingbauer Cooper at **ENTERTAINMENT.MSNBC.MSN.COM** reacts to news that the song from “The Muppets,” written by Bret McKenzie, was nominated for the Academy Award for best song.

▲  
“It’s not supposed to be about who can get the audience whipped into a frenzy. It’s supposed to be about the candidates and what their ideas and responses are. We all had a chance to hear them and judge for ourselves. But, again, just blame the media when you don’t like what’s being asked.”

— A commenter at **HUFFINGTONPOST.COM** thought Elisabeth Hasselbeck’s rant against MSNBC for not allowing crowd applause during the GOP debate Monday was off base.

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— **SASSAFRASJUNCTION.WORDPRESS.COM** penned a faux letter from Wilford Brimley to Paula Deen after Deen revealed she had diabetes.

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— Whitney Jefferson at **BUZZFEED.COM** was glad to see the cast of the 2001 summer camp movie “Wet Hot American Summer” at the San Francisco Sketchfest to perform the film as a radio play over the weekend.

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“On the one hand, when the president asks you to visit the White House event, shouldn’t you just go, regardless of political differences with the administration? On the other hand, should [Tim] Thomas be praised — whether you agree with his views or not — for using a unique moment to make a political statement of his own?”

— Free Britney at **THEHOLLYWOODGOSSIP.COM** wonders whether the Boston Bruins goalie was right to not attend his team’s celebratory ceremony at the White House on Monday.

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**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) What you do for another today will benefit you far more than anything you do solely for yourself — but then, that shouldn't surprise you.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20) You can have what you want, but you must be willing to share it with others. Do what you are asked during afternoon hours.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19) You'll benefit almost immediately from the adoption of a new point of view. Someone may call it stealing, but it's within the rules.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) It shouldn't take long for you to notice improvement from a change in strategy that you make today.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) You may be challenged by someone who is doing nothing unusual. So why is it that you were not prepared for this?

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22) Express yourself freely today and you'll not only feel as though a burden has been lifted, but you'll enjoy a tangible reward.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) You will have to trust the experts to see things accurately, as you will not be able to make the right calls in the thick of things.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You can learn much from what another has done before you — though you mustn't think that you have to imitate his or her every move.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) You may not be uncovering the facts in the right order today, but with another's help you can rearrange things properly when the time comes.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) The emotional depth of a situation today may not be fully understood by anyone but you. It's a good day to come clean in some way.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) It will only take one small obstacle to trip you up, so you'll want to keep your eyes open — and beware the obvious.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You may want to take a day off from your current endeavors, but you'll be compelled to do a little extra work on your own time.

## Scrabble Grams

PAR SCORE 150-160, BEST SCORE 211

A <sub>1</sub>	I <sub>1</sub>	U <sub>1</sub>	N <sub>1</sub>	R <sub>1</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	T <sub>1</sub>

A <sub>1</sub>	E <sub>1</sub>	E <sub>1</sub>	L <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>1</sub>	F <sub>4</sub>	D <sub>2</sub>

A <sub>1</sub>	O <sub>1</sub>	U <sub>1</sub>	S <sub>1</sub>	W <sub>4</sub>	H <sub>4</sub>	D <sub>2</sub>

A <sub>1</sub>	E <sub>1</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	K <sub>5</sub>	L <sub>1</sub>	P <sub>3</sub>	S <sub>1</sub>

Double Word Score

3rd Letter Triple

### Yesterday's Solution

C <sub>3</sub>	R <sub>1</sub>	I <sub>1</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	K <sub>5</sub>	E <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>1</sub>	RACK 1 =	66
E <sub>1</sub>	S <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>1</sub>	U <sub>1</sub>	A <sub>1</sub>	R <sub>1</sub>	Y <sub>4</sub>	RACK 2 =	60
D <sub>2</sub>	E <sub>1</sub>	F <sub>4</sub>	I <sub>1</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	I <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>1</sub>	RACK 3 =	63
D <sub>2</sub>	Y <sub>4</sub>	N <sub>1</sub>	A <sub>1</sub>	S <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>1</sub>	Y <sub>4</sub>	RACK 4 =	92
PAR SCORE 200-210								TOTAL
								281

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2				8	7		3	
				2	1		8	7
8	6	7		4		1		
	4	9	7	3			6	5
				9				
3	7			5	6	9	1	
		8		7		5	9	1
7	1			6	9			
	3		1	2				6

### Yesterday's Solution

6	4	5	7	1	2	8	3	9
3	1	7	6	9	8	5	4	2
8	2	9	4	3	5	1	7	6
9	6	8	3	2	1	4	5	7
1	7	4	9	5	6	2	8	3
5	3	2	8	7	4	6	9	1
7	5	1	2	8	3	9	6	4
4	8	3	1	6	9	7	2	5
2	9	6	5	4	7	3	1	8

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## Comics

### POOCH CAFE | PAUL GILLIGAN



### PEARLS BEFORE SWINE | STEPHAN PASTIS



## Forecast

**48** | **37**

**Today:** Sunny to partly cloudy today. Mostly cloudy tonight.

**50** | **46**

**Tomorrow:** Cloudy tomorrow with a touch of rain. Rain tomorrow night.

### Looking Ahead

**FRI** **SAT** **SUN**

**56** | **35** **49** | **32** **42** | **26**

### Sun and Moon

Sunrise today: 7:20 a.m.  
Sunset today: 5:21 p.m.  
Moonrise today: 8:21 a.m.  
Moonset today: 8:10 p.m.

### Almanac

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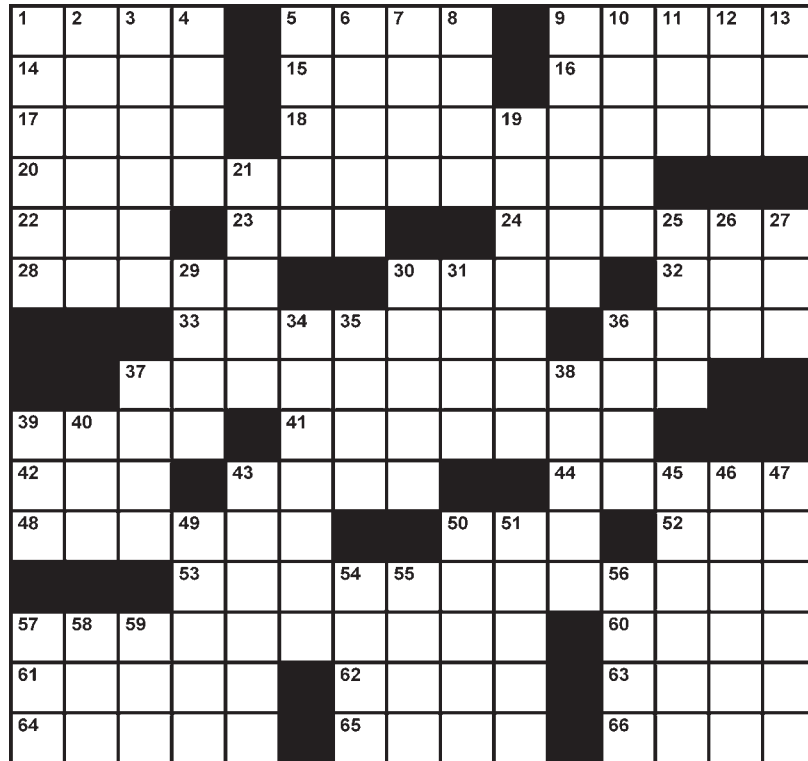
### HUE-ITFUL PLACES

#### ACROSS

- 1 At a remote point
- 5 Swiss mountains
- 9 Stalk of asparagus
- 14 Name on many jeans' labels
- 15 Waikiki party
- 16 Make happy
- 17 Object of blind devotion
- 18 Gave energy to
- 20 Colorful location in Kentucky
- 22 Tax shelter, for short
- 23 Formerly, on the wedding page
- 24 Bring into existence
- 28 Tossed serving
- 30 Rug feature
- 32 None whatsoever
- 33 Small explosive
- 36 Agenda entry
- 37 Colorful location in New York
- 39 "Aren't we the comedian?"
- 41 Disburses
- 42 \_\_\_ Wan Kenobi
- 43 Bohemian
- 44 Book of maps
- 48 Go downhill
- 50 "Yay, home team!"
- 52 In-flight guesstimate, for short
- 53 Colorful location in California
- 57 Accommodate
- 60 Low part of a high top
- 61 Soft palate attachment
- 62 Monetary unit of Ethiopia
- 63 Half brother of Athena
- 64 Miss America judges, e.g.
- 65 Stuck-up person
- 66 Yard segments

#### DOWN

- 1 Courtroom defenses
- 2 Indiana Jone stopper
- 3 Affirmation
- 4 Small brook
- 5 Dress with some flare
- 6 Fencing maneuver
- 7 Feeling of hunger
- 8 Litigant
- 9 Harshly extreme
- 10 Leveling tool
- 11 Snack or nosh
- 12 Past tense of 11-Down
- 13 Unpopular ink color
- 19 Wash again
- 21 Large lemur
- 25 Echidna's edibles
- 26 No-win situation
- 27 Popular tree type
- 29 Turkish chief
- 30 Father, to Li'l Abner
- 31 Word with "gossip" or "chatter"



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- 34 Without beginning or end
- 35 At the front of the line
- 36 "Meet Me \_\_\_ Louis"
- 37 Blender noise
- 38 Kind of potato
- 39 Questioning word
- 40 Blood classification syst.
- 43 Kind of photography
- 45 "Doubly dead" Poe title girl
- 46 British Prime Minister Clement
- 47 Utter, biblically
- 49 Architectural column support
- 50 Fashionably nostalgic
- 51 Acid-tongued
- 54 Bird beaks

- 55 "No pain, no \_\_\_"
- 56 Amer. military fliers
- 57 Eight fluid ounces
- 58 Anatomical eggs
- 59 Sister wearing a habit

### Yesterday's Solution



## Today in History

**1915** Alexander Graham Bell inaugurates telephone service between New York and San Francisco.

**1959** American Airlines begins Boeing 707 jet flights between New York and Los Angeles.

**2011** In Egypt, thousands of anti-government protesters clash with police to demand the end of President Hosni Mubarak's rule.

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people **lookout****CHILD STARS****Will He Be Christian Bale Or Haley Joel Osment?**

Daniel Radcliffe on Tuesday attended the London premiere of "The Woman in Black," his first film role since the final "Harry Potter" movie was released last year. Radcliffe, 22, says it felt "very natural" to move away from that character and start the next phase of his career. (AP)

**IDENTITY****Welcome to Rehab, Mikal Lohanssensson**

Dr. Drew Pinsky is seeking regular people for his new show, "Rehab with Dr. Drew." The VH1 show, slated for this summer, drops "Celebrity" from the name and the cast. Candidates "struggling with substance addiction but not ready to give up hope" can apply for a slot on the show at Rehab casting.com. (EXPRESS)



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On a scale of Dr. Phil to Dr. Oz, he's a 7.

**Rudeness****'You're Not Even A Real Blonde!'**

Joan Rivers criticized Chelsea Handler, with whom she is feuding, on Howard Stern's radio show Tuesday. Rivers said Handler slept her way to the top (Handler dated E! President Ted Harbert) and that "she's fine; she's ordinary. She's not a genius." (EXPRESS)



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**HEARTBREAK****Read This and Weep**

In an interview that aired Tuesday, Seal told Ellen DeGeneres that he and soon-to-be-ex-wife Heidi Klum were "shocked" by their decision to divorce. "You go into these things with the greatest intentions when you say 'I do,'" he explained. The singer, who is still wearing his wedding ring, said of Klum, "she's still, in my opinion, the most wonderful woman in the world." (EXPRESS)

**DECISIONS****'We Declare Him Not Petty'**

Jurors decided Tuesday that an Oklahoma hospital must return a \$500,000 donation to Garth Brooks because it didn't build a women's center to honor his late mother. During closing arguments, Brooks' lawyer said the hospital used the singer's mother as "bait." (AP)

**"I thought it was going to be kind of no-muss, no-fuss, but I have to shave it every day."**



— CYNTHIA NIXON, ON "LIVE! WITH KELLY," SAYS HER HEAD, BALD FOR THE PLAY "WIT," GETS "KIND OF A 5 O'CLOCK SHADOW."

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